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	Examiner Thomas Duong	Art Unit 2145	

All Participants: **Status of Application:** _____

(1) Thomas Duong. (3) _____.

(2) David A. Hall, Reg. No. 32,233. (4) _____.

Date of Interview: 26 November 2007

Time: _____

Type of Interview:

Telephonic
 Video Conference
 Personal (Copy given to: Applicant Applicant's representative)

Exhibit Shown or Demonstrated: Yes No

If Yes, provide a brief description: _____.

Part I.

Rejection(s) discussed:

None

Claims discussed:

None

Prior art documents discussed:

None

Part II.

SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW DESCRIBING THE GENERAL NATURE OF WHAT WAS DISCUSSED:

On November 26, 2007, Ex.Duong spoke with Applicants' attorney, David A. Hall, Reg. No. 32,233, to confirm that no response to the last office action, Final Rejection (dated May 16, 2007), had been filed.

Part III.

It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview directly resulted in the allowance of the application. The examiner will provide a written summary of the substance of the interview in the Notice of Allowability.
 It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview did not result in resolution of all issues. A brief summary by the examiner appears in Part II above.

/Jason D Cardone/
 Supervisory Patent Examiner, Art Unit 2145

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